



*A town is saved, not more by the
righteous men in it than the woods and
swamps that surround it. - Henry David Thoreau*



*To exist as a nation, to prosper as a state,
and to live as a people, we must have trees
-- Theodore Roosevelt*



The Friends of Waukesha Parks, Recreation and Forestry is dedicated to promoting, expanding, enhancing and advocating for the programs and services of WPRF through volunteering, financial support, education and advocacy efforts.



THE PARK FOUNDATION OF WAUKESHA

The Park Foundation of Waukesha (PFW) serves as an advocate for the promotion of "community quality of life" through the enhancement of city parks, trails, recreation programs and the urban forest.



The current cost of
a community roots
tree planting is \$195

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Waukesha, WI 53186


COMMUNITY ROOTS PROGRAM

NATIONAL Gold Medal Winner

"Gold Medal" services . . . exceptional quality of life!



"He who plants a tree loves
others beside himself"
- Thomas Fuller

*"Trees are the only part of
infrastructure that actually
appreciate in value while
the rest depreciates."*

- Pepper Provenzano

Honor a special relative,
friend or member of your organization.
by giving a gift of gratitude through the
"Community Roots" program.

COMMUNITY ROOTS A TREE PLANTING PROGRAM

The City of Waukesha Parks, Recreation
& Forestry Department (WPRF) has had
a long tradition of tree planting to honor,
commemorate or memorialize individuals
or events via monetary sponsorship.

TREES DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

By sponsoring a tree you are improving
the environmental quality of our community
now and for future generations. Trees not
only enhance the beauty of our community,
positively affecting our state of mind and
attitudes, but provide other benefits such
as assisting with storm water run-off,
improving air quality, and lowering
energy consumption and costs.

HOW THE COMMUNITY ROOTS PROGRAM WORKS

WPRF will assist you in selecting a
beautiful site and an appropriate tree for
the occasion. Further, WPRF will purchase,
plant and maintain the tree as it does for
all the public trees throughout the
City of Waukesha.

All contributions are acceptable and
accumulate toward the price of a tree.
Costs of a tree are set annually by the
Parks, Recreation and Forestry Board
as the assessed value for all types of trees
and tree sizes. Please see the
attached card on back.

Names of those honored and the name
of the donors will be inscribed and
displayed in the hallway of the EB Shurts
Environmental Education Center
at 810 W. College Avenue.

A recognition tag will be attached to
the tree for a six month period after the tree
has been planted for easy identification.

A recognition certificate will be sent
to the person(s) being honored and a
recognition card will be sent to all
donors with the approximate date
of the tree planting.

Contributions are tax deductible
to the extent allowed by law.

*"When you plant a tree,
you plant a legacy."*

COMMUNITY ROOTS TREE PLANTING REQUEST

Donor's Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Daytime Phone

Please check one: person or organization to be

Honored ____ Memorialized ____

Name (s) to be honored

Send Acknowledgment to:

Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Preferred Park Location:

1st Choice: _____

2nd Choice: _____

Suggested Trees:

Maple, Oak, Chestnut, Elm or Gingko

1st Choice: _____

2nd Choice: _____

Preferred Planting Season:

☐ Spring-April/May or ☐ Fall-Oct./Nov.

Please make checks payable to:

**WPRF Community Roots Program
1900 Aviation Dr., Waukesha, WI 53188**

For more information, please call 262-524-3737